

# Adair County News

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## The Association.

The annual meeting of the Russell Creek Baptist Association, Oct. 5th and 6th, was one of the greatest. It was held at Big Creek Church, 34 miles out from Gradyville. Columbia church was represented by Rev. L. J. B. Smith, B. F. Chewning, and F. H. Durham as delegates, and Mrs. G. H. Nell and J. P. Hutchison. When the hour for opening came the church was crowded, with almost equal numbers crowded around the windows and doors. Captain E. F. Tucker was re-elected Moderator, and E. H. Henderson, Clerk. Brothers Tucker and Henderson have faithfully served the Baptist for many Associations. Rev. H. S. Summers, of Campbellsville, preached the Introductory sermon. He is a stranger to the Association. His address stirred the Association to a degree of enthusiasm. Rev. L. J. B. Smith preached the Doctrinal sermon, another able and soul stirring address. These two addresses should be printed and sent to every church in the Association. The letters were read with intense interest. There were nearly 400 additions. Much larger number than usual.

Twenty-five thousand expended for all purposes about \$6.00 per member. One church contributed \$23.67 per capita. The reports on Missions, orphans, Temperance, Old Ministers Aid and Education were so ably presented and discussed, that ranked this session as the best. The order and decorum speaks well for the Big Creek church. The tables were filled to overflowing with the best of meats, pies and cakes. The entertainment was superb. The Columbia crowd was entertained by Uncle Charley Yates, a noble soldier of the cross for these many years. It was indeed a treat to hear his experience. Prof. R. Garnett Graves delivered the closing address, which always calls for invitation to come back to the neighboring churches. The next session will be held at New Salem church in Green county. If you want to get thrilled with the spirit attend the next. B. F. Chewning was elected delegate to the State Association and E. H. Henderson to the Southern Baptist Convention.

## To The Voters of Adair County.

I am a candidate for member of the Board of Education, and respectfully solicit your support. Having been a teacher in the past, I take an interest in affairs pertaining to education. I am opposed to consolidation, I favor a low tax rate, I favor electing a superintendent for one year, I favor the placing of teachers in districts in which the patrons desire their services, and promise when elected to give the best service of which I am capable.

J. B. Grant.

## Rolling Fork Bridge Burned.

News reached here last Thursday that the double wooden bridge across Rolling Fork, at New Market, was burned about 1 o'clock that morning. It is reported here that a boy in a touring car ran on to the structure, and that his gasoline tank exploded, setting fire to the bridge. The whole structure dropped into Rolling Fork in a very short time. Until a new bridge is built, the traveling public will suffer a great deal of inconvenience. As we write we do not know whether it will have to be rebuilt by a Company or the county of Marion. It will take not less than \$5,000 to replace it.

## Young Boars.

Some choice Thoroughbred Chester White boars for sale at \$10 each if taken at once. Call or write, Valleyview Stock Farm, Cane Valley, Ky.

Phone 116 W

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Max Terry, who was 26 years old accidentally shot himself at Edmon-ton last Monday, dying Tuesday night.



## To the Voters of Adair County Both Ladies and Gentlemen.

I am a candidate for circuit court Clerk of Adair county. This is the first time I have tried for office. I have lived in Adair county for 12 years, was Postmaster at Cane Valley for 6 years, having resigned the first of this year and my successor was appointed the last of June. I always tried to treat one and all the nicest, kindest and best way I could and I do believe that every man and woman that knows me will say I have done that and I will say this, if elected I will always treat one and all fair.

It was my intention to make a thoro canvass of the county and see all the voters but have been sick a good deal of the time since I became a candidate, which has hindered me from making a thoro canvass as I wished to make, but hope, yet if possible, to see all the voters.

Should I not have the opportunity of meeting all the voters personally, I hereby respectfully solicit the votes of of both men and women.

Any one wishing to know about me may ask any patron of the Cane Valley Post office.

Very Truly Yours,  
Charles F. Paxton,

As was announced the Adair County Sunday School Association was in session Saturday and Sunday at the Christian Church. While the attendance was not such as it should have been, the program was good and much interest was manifested. The principal speakers Saturday were Revs. Williams and Murrell, Judge Baker, Mr. Jeffries, Mesdames Z. T. Williams, W. J. Flowers, R. F. Rowe, Miss Rhodus, Rev. R. V. Bennett and Prof. Crockett. At the evening session, Rev. Ashley had charge of the devotional services, Miss Katie Murrell, spoke upon The Church and the young People after which Miss Howard, state worker, delivered an interesting lecture upon Recent Developments in Religious Education. Sunday afternoon a mass meeting was held with Miss Howard as teacher.

## Farm for Sale.

Known as the P. C. McCaffree farm 24 miles northwest of Columbia, and containing 230 acres of Limestone land. 100 acres in cultivation, can run tractor or any kind of machinery over 95 acres 14 acres of overflow bottom 30 acres of pasture land; 20 acres of same subject to cultivation. 100 acres in good timber. An abundance of lasting spring water. House, tenant house, cabin and outbuildings. Will sell at a bargain in order to settle estate.

See McCaffree Bros.

at the farm.

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Mr. H. J. Compton, who lives on Mrs. Mary Biggs' farm, fell from a barn loft a few days ago and was considerably hurt, three of his ribs being broken. He is better. Mr. J. T. Ribbee, of Westfork, Cumberland county, who is a brother-in-law of Mr. Compton, was at his bedside a few days of last week.

STRAIGHT SALARY:—\$35.00 per week and expenses to man or woman with rig to introduce Eureka Egg Producer.

Eureka Mfg. Co.,  
East St. Louis, Ill.

## GARNETT-GAYLE.

### Miss Katherine Frances Garnett and Mr. Robert Alexander Gayle to Be Married.

Mr. and Mrs. James Garnett announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Katherine Frances Garnett, to Mr. Robert Gayle, Frankfort. The wedding will take place the latter part of November.

The above announcement, copied from the Sunday Courier-Journal of Oct. 16th, will be of interest to the many friends of Miss Garnett in Adair Co.

## Rubber Tiring.

We are now prepared to Rubber tire your buggy with the best grade of Rubber, at \$12.00 per set. We guarantee our work.

Morrison Bros.

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## Notice to Tax Payers.

For the purpose of giving you an opportunity to pay your taxes, I or one of my deputies will be at the following places on dates given.

Milltown Monday Oct. 17.  
Keltner Tuesday Oct. 18.  
Sparksville Wednesday Oct. 19.  
Breeding Thursday Oct. 20.  
Gradyville, Friday Oct. 21.  
Fairplay, Monday Oct. 17.  
Glensfork, Tuesday Oct. 18.  
Roy, Wednesday Oct. 19.  
Eunice Thursday Oct. 20.  
Cane Valley, Friday Oct. 21.  
Asher, Saturday Oct. 22.  
Pellyton, Monday Oct. 24.  
Roley, Tuesday Oct. 25.  
Knifley, Wednesday 26.

Cortez Sanders, S. A. C.

## Get that Sweater

Ladies or Gents at Murrays. Also Dress Goods, Underwear, hats, caps, Notions, Shoes, Comforts, Blankets, Rugs and Furniture. Phone 12 Murray's Store.

## Home Wedding.

Last Saturday afternoon Miss Mary Tupman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Tupman, was happily married, in the presence of a number of friends, at the home of the bride's parents, to Mr. Rollin Caldwell, a prosperous and popular farmer who lives near Milltown, Eld. Z. T. Williams being the officiating minister.

The bride was one of the most popular young ladies in the Cane Valley community, and she received many presents.

We take it that the couple will reside on the groom's farm, and in a few days will be at home to their host of friends.

## Notice.

To all election officers that are holding Keys and election seals, are requested to return them to the County Court Clerk's office at once, and save cost of purchasing new ones. This Oct 10th, 1921.

Respt,  
S. C. Neat, C. A. C. C.

## Birthday Celebration.

Last Friday was the 70th anniversary of Mrs. Ella Webb, who is the widow of Mr. Howard Webb, Glenville. The event was duly celebrated by friends and relatives who spread a bountiful dinner for Mrs. Webb. The recipient of the many good things were highly appreciated, as Mrs. Webb is a most estimable lady and has many close friends in her neighborhood.

## For Sale.

Three thoroughbred Shorthorn Bull calves. Good ones.

W. T. Dohoney.  
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## Mr. J. O. Russell Better.

Early last Wednesday morning Mr. J. O. Russell left his living room and went out in his back lot, and when near his chicken-house he fell, striking his left cheek against some hard substance, and when found by his wife he was unconscious. Assistance was called and he was carried into his room and physicians summoned. All during the day Wednesday he was unconscious, and his condition was regarded critical by physicians and friends. Thursday morning he was evidently better, and did some talking. Late Thursday he took some nourishment, and during the night he rested reasonably well. Friday morning he ate a hearty breakfast, and all indications pointed to a much better condition. It is given out by physicians that the fall he received produced concussion of the brain which, says the physicians, will be removed, unless other complications set up. At this hour, ten o'clock Friday, we think that we are warranted in stating that he is better.

Drs. Russell, Flowers and Miller are the attending physicians and they have agreed on the treatment and are keeping a close watch.

Mr. Russell is one of the most prominent men in Adair county, having been a merchant here since he was grown, and he is also interested in banking. The entire county is anxious for his recovery, and everything that skill and friends can do is being done.

Saturday and Sunday there was but little change if any in his condition. Dr. Flowers reports that he is certain that he has concussion of the brain, and that it will be eight or ten days before that is removed. His color is good and he has a fine appetite. The town is interested and looking for a favorable and decided change for the better in his condition. A trained nurse is with him.

On the account of the loss by fire we have lots of groceries stored in corner room of Jeffries Hotel and some of them in our warehouse, will sell at cost.

Hutchison & Pattenon.  
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Mr. Oscar Fair, who is the Democratic candidate for County Judge of Casey county, had business in Columbia last Wednesday. He stated that he was running in an overwhelmingly Republican county, yet he expected to be elected, as more than one thousand Republicans had promised him their support. Mr. Fair is a good business man, honest in all his dealings, and we would be glad to learn that he had been successfully in his coming race.

## Get that Sweater

Ladies or Gents at Murray's Also Dress Goods, Underwear, Hats, Caps, Notions, Shoes, Comforts, Blankets, Rugs and Furniture. Phone 12 Murray's Store.

Both the Masonic Grand Lodge and Grand Chapter are in session at Louisville this week. All the lodges in Adair county and the Chapter are represented.

## Home Coming and Rally Day.

There will be a Home Coming and Rally Day next Sunday, Oct. 23, at the Christian Church, Columbia, at 11 a. m.

It is desired that every member, who can, shall be present to answer to the roll-call. If those, who cannot be present, will send a favorite verse of scripture or sentiment, the clerk, G. Reed, will read it in answer to their names. The following program will be given:

Song—Doxology. Congregation. Standing.  
Song—No. 1 Joy to the World.  
Scripture Lesson Prof. Prather.  
Prayer—Judge Junius Hancock.  
Song—No. 273. Rock of Ages.  
Communion.  
Offertory.  
Reading—Miss Victoria Hughes.  
Address—Horace Jeffries.  
Solo—Mrs. Eros Barger.  
In Memoriam—Miss Mary Lucy Lowe.  
The Church a Family—Z. T. Williams.  
Roll call—G. R. Reed.  
Song—No. 243. Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us.  
Benediction.

Mr. N. R. Roach, who lives at Toria, near Breeding, this county, was in Columbia a few days ago. He reported that Mr. Herschel Breeding, a neighbor of his was in a very critical condition, not expected to recover. He also said that there were splendid crops in his part of the county with the exception of tobacco. Only a small crop was set, and that did not cure as it should. The farmers, he said, were about ready to gather corn, and it would not be long until all his neighborhood cribs would be well filled.

## For Sale.

Buick Roadster No. 4. No hard usage. Reason for selling bad health. Going away for treatment. Apply to R. F. Rowe, Columbia, Ky.

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Mrs. T. J. Goodman writes Mrs. J. P. Beard, that she is pleasantly situated in Joplin, Mo. Mr. Goodman has not as yet purchased a home, but is looking over the city, with the view of finding one to suit him. Mr. G. B. Smith has purchased a residence and removed to it. Joplin is a busy place, but to the Goodmans, there is no town like Columbia. We hope all the Columbians who have recently located in Joplin will prosper and should they decide to return to this place there will be room for them.

## Notice.

All members of Adair Post No. 99, American Legion, are requested to be present on Friday night, Oct. 21

Albert Bryant,  
Post Commander.

The Bank of Columbia got its temporary quarters completed last week, removed from the Buchanan Lyon Co's place of business to the corner, its former place, where they are now conducting the affairs of the bank. It is a very comfortable building, and will answer all purposes for the present. Next spring a handsome banking house will be erected on same site.

## Farm for Sale.

It contains 95 acres, 1 1/2 miles from Bliss. It is in a good state of cultivation.

C. E. Claycomb

Rev. T. J. Wade, P. E., will hold the first Quarterly Meeting on the Gradyville-Charge at Price's Chapel, Oct. 22-23, which will be on Saturday and Sunday. Preaching 11:00 a. m. Our people will please observe paragraph No. 146 in the Discipline, on Friday before the meeting. Everybody cordially invited.

J. W. Rayburn,  
Pastor in Charge.

## Thirty-five Years Ago.

At the time stated by the heading of this article a family consisting of George Greaser, wife and children landed in Columbia and located in a small shack which stood back of where the Lindsey-Wilson buildings are now located. They had but few household goods, and had the appearance of tramps.

After locating the news was spread over the county that some real fortune tellers were located here, and furthermore they were possessed with power to remove all kinds of diseases from the body of man. It was not long until people who were afflicted with maladies commenced to visit them, and the word spread over the county of marvellous cures they had made. No medicine was used, only the laying on of hands and saying a few words, and the patient was cured.

One Sunday, the writer, in company with J. B. Montgomery and others went to the scene where restoratives were being used, and upon arriving at the place they found four men sitting in chairs from which the bottoms had been cut, and under the chairs smoke was ascending. We asked what was the matter with the patients, and Mrs. Greaser, who seemed to be the principal doctor, said, "These men are all terribly afflicted with the rheumatism, and I am curing them." "What is the stuff you are burning under the chairs?" asked one of our party. "That is dog hair," said the doctor, "and the burning of it, as you see, is a sure cure for rheumatism." "How long will they have to sit over the burning dog hair?" was asked. "Two hours, and when they come off they will be perfectly well," and thus it was that quite a number were hoodwinked into believing that these ignorant people could restore the sick to health.

They also told fortunes or fortune, as the same story was given each applicant.

They remained here about two months leaving for a greener pasture.

Rev. Gross, of Louisville, will preach at the Presbyterian church next Sunday forenoon and evening. Invitation extended to all.

## New Buildings Will Be Erected.

Since the fire there has been much speculation as to when the lots will be covered with new buildings. We know but little about the intentions of the owners of the lots, but the information we have at hand, new business houses will soon adorn them. The Bank of Columbia would start their building at once if brick could be secured, but as there are none here, in all probability it will be spring before a banking-house can be erected. Fall is here and it will not be long until it will be too cold to make brick. We are safe in saying that a banking building will be put up as quickly as possible. We have not heard an expression coming from Mrs. Walker nor Hutchison & Pattenon. We believe they will build or sell to parties who will. In the meantime the Bank of Columbia will erect a small house on their site to be used until a banking building can be erected, and until that is done the business of this institution will be conducted at the Buchanan Lyon Company's Garage.

If your Buggy needs Rubber Tiring see Morrison Bros.

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Mrs. Ben Lee Hardin died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Hal Grimes, Harrodsburg, last Tuesday. She was 77 years old and is survived by her husband and daughter. Mrs. Hardin had some acquaintances in Columbia, she having visited here, in company with her husband, who is a native of this place. Columbia is in sympathy with the surviving husband and daughter.

I pay best price for fresh Eggs.  
S. W. Epperson.





Night had fallen when they reached Ben Littleford's cabin home. The girl was welcomed with much joy; and Dale was received with almost affectionate cordiality. A roaring fire was soon going in the best room, and old Dale was given the cosiest of the sheepskin-lined rockers. Ben Littleford, washed scrupulously clean of coal smut, sat near the guest of honor. John Moreland, who was so thoughtful that he seemed to hear and see nothing, sat close to Ben Littleford.

Suddenly Dale looked toward his host and asked: "Where is my son?" At that moment Dale the younger, in boots and corduroys, appeared in the outer doorway and answered for himself:

"Here he is, father. Are you well?" Dale the elder arose, and their hands clasped warmly. Young Dale then shook hands with Elizabeth, who blushed in spite of herself as she faced him.

To hide her confusion, Elizabeth turned to the tall and lanky By Heck, who had come in behind Bill Dale.

"How are you, By?" she greeted him.

"Hungry," grinned By Heck, taking her hand awkwardly. "I never eat nothin' but a couple o' baked 'possums and a peck or two o' sweet 'taters fo' dinner, and I've been as busy as the dev—as thunder a-doin' nothin' ever since. Doin' nothin' shore does make me hungry, M-M-Miss Babe."

Supper was announced, and they went into a long, log-walled room that served as both kitchen and dining room.

Bill Dale sat beside his father and talked of nothing but coal veins—big and little coal veins, long and short, broad and narrow, deep and shallow, blue and black coal veins. Babe Littleford, who wouldn't marry him, who had come back to the hills to torture him with a beauty that he had never believed possible in any woman, shouldn't know that he was even thinking of her!

He talked coal with his father until bedtime, and he was wiser in the ways of the black diamond when nine o'clock came. After Ben Littleford had haltingly conducted family prayers—and in this he mentioned even the Balls, Turners and Torreys—Bill Dale bade them all good night and started for his office to sleep, rolled in a blanket on the floor. There was a lack of beds at Ben Littleford's that night.

A little later, John Moreland drew old Ben out to the cabin yard. The skies were clear, and the moon was shining brightly; everywhere there was beauty and peace.

"Ben," softly, "I've got to bother ye a minute, as late as it is. I wanted ye to find me a hammer and a chisel and a lantern."

"I've got 'em all three right thar in the house," replied Littleford. "But what'n the name o' Torment and thunderation do ye want with a hammer and a chisel and a lantern, John, old friend?"

The answer came straightforwardly. It was the Moreland way. "I'm a-goin' up thar to whar pore David he's buried at, and cut off some them letters off the stone. Ben, I can't sleep until it's done. You can guess what part I'm a-goin' to cut off, can't ye?"

"Yes," said Littleford. "Babe told me about what happened up thar afore dark. And I'm pow'ful glad ye're a-goin' to do it, John, old friend."

He went with Moreland to the little enclosure on the highest point of David Moreland's mountain. He held the lighted lantern while Moreland worked. They were there for hours.

When the work was finished David Moreland's brother arose from his knees in the snow, put the hammer and the chisel into his pocket, and spread open his cold, cramped fingers.

"Ef David could know," he said wearily, "I believe he'd be glad 'at I done it. Anyway, it makes me feel better."

Ben Littleford put a big hand on John Moreland's shoulder.

"Yes," he agreed, "ef David could know about it, he'd be glad 'at ye done it, John. The 'hain't no doubt o' that. And who can say he don't know about it?"

Elizabeth learned of it early on the following morning. When breakfast was over, she whispered to John K. Dale that there was something she had to show him. She wouldn't tell him anything in advance. So he went with her to see for himself.

When at last they stood inside the weatherbeaten pailings, Elizabeth pointed and said:

"Look there, and thank God!" Dale looked and saw. The color left his face, then came back. He shut his eyes, swayed a little on his feet, opened his eyes, looked and saw again.

He turned to the young woman with a great joy shining on his face.

"I haven't been so glad," he told her, "for twenty-five years."

The chiseling away of the lower five lines had not only obliterated the curse: it had left an almost perfect cross. Then John Moreland's bare, cold and tireless hands had gone to work and made it, in every respect, a perfect cross.

#### CHAPTER XX

##### The End of It All.

The sun shone very brightly that day, and the snow began to melt on the places that were not shaded. When he returned with Elizabeth from the crest of David Moreland's mountain, John K. Dale took a rocker before the fire and sat there thinking, thinking, until the midday meal was announced. When the midday meal was over, he resumed his chair and sat there thinking, thinking, until the afternoon was half gone.

Then he called Elizabeth to him. "Will you go to my son and tell him I wish to see him?" he said. And he added under his breath: "I think it is best that they should know."

Elizabeth heard that which he had said to himself as well as she heard that which he had said to her. Should know! Know what? She had a sudden wild fear that Mrs. Dale had broken her promise never to breathe a word of the truth concerning the Adam Ball affair. Nevertheless, she put on her hat and her gloves and went to Bill Dale's office.

Dale sat with his elbows on his desk and with his head in his hands. To all appearances, he was unaware of the presence of the girl in the doorway.

She spoke. "Bill!" He sat up straight and faced her. He seemed surprised.

"Well, Babe?" "Your father wants you," in a low voice. "He's got something to tell you—that—that will make you think almost nothing of me!"

Young Dale frowned. "What is it?" "I'd rather he'd tell you about it. Bill Dale, I don't think I could bear to tell you myself—"

She turned and was about to hasten away, when he called to her: "Wait!"—and she waited.

"Has it," he asked, "anything to do with your marriage to Jimmy Payne?" "No!"

He arose and put on his broad-rimmed hat. "I'll admit," he snarled, "that I'm worse than a granny woman for poking my nose into other people's affairs—when are you going to marry Jimmy, Babe?"

The answer came quickly: "Never." "Never!" repeated Elizabeth, very quietly.

"Never?" pursued Dale. "Never!" cried Elizabeth, exasperated.

"Goodness!" laughed Dale. "You're dramatic, or vehement, or both. May I walk home with you, Babe?"

"Yes, sir," promptly, "if you want to."

They set out across the snow-covered meadows, and neither spoke another word until they had reached Ben Littleford's log house. The girl looked at him queerly as they entered. After he knew—

Old Dale still sat before the fire, and near him sat silent John Moreland. Old Dale motioned toward an inside door.

"Please close it, Elizabeth," he requested, and she obeyed. "Now sit down. I've got something to tell the three of you. And I fancy it will interest all of you."

The two who had just come in took chairs at the fireside. After a moment, John K. Dale began:

"You've often wondered, Bill, about that savage streak—as you choose to call it—that is in you. You inherited it. Much of that which we are, it is claimed, is inherited, and it must be correct; like begets like, of course. But there is no savage streak in you, Bill. You are hot-headed, that's all. Your virtues overbalance that, by far. I have never seen another man who had a greater love for honesty and fair play, or a greater hatred for all that is hollow and false, or more courage to stick up for that which seems to be right, than you. Now I'll tell you how you came by those fine qualities and the hot-headedness—"

Elizabeth Littleford sat wide-eyed, tense, half breathless. If he meant to tell it, why didn't he tell it! Why did he beat about the bush like that?

"Bill, this is hard for me. It brings back a terrible thing. You know about David Moreland. . . . When I awoke that morning and found him lying dead at my crazed, drunken hands, I wished that I, too, were dead. . . . That great and silent wilderness smothered me. I imagined that I could

bear voices calling to me, saying—

"'Cain! Cain!' "They came from the laurel thickets, from the trees overhead, from the ground, from everywhere. You see, I wasn't all bad, even in my wild-oats days. Then I thought of the law, and I ran. . . .

"But the cry of a child from the cabin I was leaving halted me before I had gone thirty yards. David Moreland's wife had left him with a baby only a few weeks old, which I didn't pay any particular attention to until that morning, that black morning. At that time there was no other house for miles around. I couldn't leave the child there to die of starvation, after killing its father. So I went back and got the baby, and all its clothing, and took it away with me. I left it at a farmhouse down in the lowland, and went to another city, and started life afresh. . . .

"But later I married, and shortly after that I went to the farmer and persuaded him to let me adopt the child. I brought it up as my own, and educated it, as a sort of compensation. And I came to love it. But it was years before my wife loved it. She didn't like children then. But she does now. She is paying now, and I am paying. Don't you understand, Bill—don't you understand?"

There was a choke in his voice toward the last. Bill Dale went to his feet. His eyes were wide, but he did not seem unhappy; and for that Elizabeth was grateful. John Moreland sat as still, with his bearded, viking face as expressionless as though he had known it all along.

"And so I really am in my own country!" cried Bill Dale. "I am a Moreland, and the Morelands really are my own people!"

"Yes, you are in your own country, and you are a Moreland—and your baby name was David," said John K. Dale.

It was then that John Moreland spoke.

"Bill, when I first seed you, you made me think o' my brother the day he was married. I ain't never forgot that. I sartainly ain't surprised none at all. We didn't know about the baby. Cherokee Joe told me the baby had died."

"And now, son," pleaded old Dale, his voice breaking, "say that you forgive me."

Bill Dale, David Moreland's boy, knelt beside the old sheepskin-lined rocker, took the old coal king's hand in both his own and bent his head over it.

"It's all right," he said thickly. "It's all right."

Elizabeth Littleford arose and stole blindly out of the house. Her footsteps led her, quite without her realizing where she was going, across the meadow and to the river above the blown-down sycamore. And there on that sacred spot, where she had first felt her heart leap at the sound of Bill Dale's voice, she sank down in a heap in the snow and cried, and cried.

Twilight was gathering rapidly, but she did not notice it. She did not notice, either, that the air was growing steadily colder with the approach of the mountain night. To her a warm sun was shining above in a bright blue vault; to her the spirit of summer was everywhere; in her ears there was the liquid song of a meadow lark, the sweet twittering of woodthrushes, the low humming of wild bees. The pouring of the crystal waters between the two boulders above the pool made music to her, and blended with it she seemed to hear the voice of a big, clean, strong man—

"I was thinking of the difference between you and some other women I know."

Then a ray of hope shone into her heart. Bill Dale was really a Moreland, and therefore, of the hill blood even as she was of the hill blood, and that should make them more nearly equal. She told herself that he wouldn't be so apt to condemn her for being able to take a human life easily as one of another blood would be; he would be more apt to understand. And yet, the women he had known were gentle, tender and refined, like, for instance, Patricia McLaurin. Soon the ray of hope died within her, and she bent her head and sobbed again.

One of her bare hands began to grope idly in the snow at her side, and she did not feel the cold. Suddenly she realized that her hand was full of shavings, whittlings. Some man had been sitting there whittling with a pocket knife—it must have been a man, for who ever heard of a woman whittling? She felt in the snow with both hands, and found more whittlings—there were bushels of whittlings, it seemed to her, lying there under the snow.

Then she wondered—wondered who it could have been.

It was quite dark now, but the moon was not yet up. A great, bright star blazed above David Moreland's tomb like a beacon fire. She heard the muffled sounds of slow masculine footsteps in the snow behind her. She did not turn her head. In her soul she knew it could be but one man.

Bill Dale's head was down, and he moved as though he neither knew nor cared whither he went. Then he saw the dark heap on the river's bank before him, and he halted. He knew in his soul that it could be but one woman.

Dale went on and sat down on a stone the size of a small barrel that lay at the river's rim.

"Babe?" he said. It was the mating call of his heart in the springtime of his life.

"Who'd done all o' this whittlin', Bill?" asked Elizabeth.

"I did," softly.

"But I thought you were so busy

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of Turkish and Domestic tobaccos—blended

"They Satisfy"

here! It's nobody but idlers, of course, that whittles—that is, most of the time it's nobody but idlers that whittles."

"But I'm not busy on Sundays, y' know," replied Dale.

"Tell me this," Elizabeth asked pointedly: "What made you come to this one spot to do your whittlin'? Couldn't you whittle up there in my daddy's cabin yard?"

He answered her unhesitatingly: "Because I like to be here. This place is a shrine to me. It was here that I first loved you, Babe. Now you tell me this: Why did you come to this particular spot to sit down in the snow? There's snow in your daddy's cabin yard!"

Said Elizabeth, in a voice that sounded smothered: "Because I like to be here—this place is a shrine to me, too—it was here that I first loved you, Bill Dale!"

"Then why," he demanded, "won't you marry me?"

"Because it was me that shot—Adam Ball."

She went on, and though emotion had set every fibre of her to quivering, she did not fall into the old hill talk, which was proof of the magnificence of her:

"I thought you wouldn't want me if you knew that I did that, and I couldn't marry you without telling you. But you know now! And do whatever you feel like doing or saying, you can't hurt me; I can never be hurt any—any m-m-m-more—"

Bill Dale shot erect. Truly, this was a day of surprises for him. He stooped and caught her up.

"A real woman!" he said happily, straightening with her in his arms. "A real, all gold, pure gold woman! You loved me well enough to kill a man to save me, and wouldn't let me know it! Woman is a mystery, sure enough. But perhaps it's because women are so fine and so far above menfolk that menfolk cannot understand them. Well, Babe, listen, must I drag you to the altar, or will you go with me of your own accord?"

She put her arms around his neck and drew them tight.

"I'd go with you, Bill Dale—or David Moreland, whichever it is—to the very last inch of the end of the world," she said.

Early the next morning, there came strolling lazily up the river's bank a tall and lanky mountaineer who wore, among other things, a Niagara Falls mustache and cowhide boots that seemed ridiculously short because of the great length of his slender legs. He carried a rifle in the hollow of one arm; he was looking for rabbit-tracks in the snow. Near the pool above the blown-down sycamore, he came upon tracks that had not been made by any four-footed animals. There were the footprints of a man coming from one direction, and the footprints of a woman coming from another direction; only the footprints of the man went away toward Ben Littleford's cabin.

By Heck was puzzled. "Here comes Bill," he frowned, "and over here comes Babe. And thar, as plain as day, goes Bill; but what become o' Babe? Whar in the name o' the devil's pet ridin'-hoss did she go to? Not straight up, shorely!"

He scrutinized the signs with the understanding eye of the born woodsman. Then he grinned broadly and said to himself:

"Well, dang my farrard and blast my eyes! The danged old Injnn, he jest picked her up bod'ly and carried her off home, and I know what that means, thank God. I can't pray, but I shore can sing—"

"Oh, when I die, don't bury me deep; Put a tombstone at my head and feet; Put a bear's jawbone in my right hand, On my way to the Promised Land—and, Oh! On my way to the Promised Land!"

(THE END.)

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### An Educational Autocracy.

The State Department of Education, in promoting its campaign for the adoption of the two school amendments, is having published in the Louisville newspapers a series of interviews with school heads throughout the State, a very large percentage of whom declare themselves in favor of the amendments.

The persistency with which these interviews are being printed leads to the conclusion that the Department regards this species of propaganda as a very impressive argument for the adoption of the amendments.

A basic principle that the Department seems to have overlooked entirely is that the schools exist for the benefit of the children, and not for the benefit of the teachers and the superintendents. School laws should be framed and administered in the interest of the children who attend the schools and the taxpayers who support the schools, rather than in the interest of the teachers and superintendents, who are the beneficiaries of the taxpayers' money.

Moreover, the administration of any law should not be left to the element in our population most directly affected by that administration. If this were permitted, selfish considerations would invariably defeat justice.

If our banking laws were framed and administered by the bankers alone we might depend upon it that they would be in the interest of the banks and not the people. If the manufacturers framed the tariff laws, manufacturers' interests would be given prime consideration. The same principle is true in any profession or in any line of business. Lopsided justice would be the result.

We do not mean to go to the other extreme. Bankers should be consulted on laws affecting financial matters; manufacturers on tariff schedules; railroad officials and labor leaders when workingmen's laws are being enacted, but the influence should be only of an advisory character. No special class should be allowed to dictate the legislation under which it operates. There should be a variety of counsel, providing a system of checks and balances, which is the best insurance against special favors, and the best guaranty of wise and just laws.

During the present campaign in Kentucky, it seems that this principle is being disregarded. An educational autocracy is being set up in the State to jam down the people's throats two constitutional amendments for which there is no general public sentiment whatever.

There is a callous indifference to the fact that the schools are sustained by the taxpayers for the benefit of the children, and not the teachers. One would think from the long and imposing list of interviews published daily that the schools in Kentucky were the private property and concern of the teachers, who are their beneficiaries, instead of the people, who are supporting them.

We regret that an ambitious State Superintendent at Frankfort, in building up an educational machine, has fostered such an idea. In the name of education

progress, he has done the cause of education in Kentucky an incalculable injury. He has placed upon the great interest of which he is the head the stamp of autocracy, which the people are sure to resent.

By his unreasonable demands, and the character of campaign that has been conducted, he has put the schools of Kentucky in a position where they may fail in the future to get their just deserts at the people's hands.

The popular resentment that has been aroused against an unworthy school program in Kentucky may easily sweep on until it gathers in its opposition a resentment against every worthy cause.

It is time, in the interest of a cause greater than any man or every man now connected with it in Kentucky, for Mr. Colvin and his enthusiastic zealots to call a halt in their campaign. There is no chance for them to carry their amendments, and in pursuing a blind hope, they may do great injury to an interest which is indispensable to the State's progress, and which thousands of Kentuckians who are not and will never be the beneficiaries of school laws, feel a vital concern.—E. Town News.

### Why Men Commit Suicide.

The coroner of Chicago reports that suicides in that city increased 34 per cent during the first seven months of 1921 as compared with the first seven months of 1920.

An analysis of his report shows that three times as many men killed themselves as women. All were between the ages of 30 and 40. Twice as many married men found life unendurable as compared with the bachelors, which might indicate that the city by the lake is not one to be selected for connubial felicity.

As to the means of "shuffling off this mortal coil," a third of the unfortunates chose gas as a method. Shooting was a close second and the causes given were temporary insanity, in most of the cases, and despondency in the others.

Mental experts have expressed doubt of the sanity of any person who deliberately ends his own life. The natural dread of the unknown, in the normal, right-minded person, keeps many a sufferer "bearing the ills we have, rather than fly to others that we know not of."

"How much the human heart may bear and yet not break," wrote the poet long ago. And it is true and very fortunate for the human race that it is true. The old maxim that "As long as there is life there is hope," still appeals powerfully to the most of us and causes us to seek to make the best of what may times appear to be a desperate situation.

This is seen in the case of those suffering from mortal illness. They hang on desperately to life, fight for it and often win their battle through sheer determination. This was true in the influenza epidemic, in which many strong men and women died, while frail and feeble bodies came through the fight surviving.

The German Reichstag has ratified the treaty of peace between Germany and this country.

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As famine sweeps over Russia the death toll is appalling, and 25,000,000 is the lowest estimate of those likely to starve.

Charles C. McChord, of Springfield, Ky., who has been a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission since 1911 has been made Chairman of that body.

An organization of 200,000, known as the "Anti-Drys," has been formed in the East for the purpose of increasing dissatisfaction with the prohibition laws.

Urey Woodson has just celebrated his 40th anniversary as the editor and publisher of the Owensboro Messenger.

In New York a riot in a church resulted in the killing of one man by the priest, who hit him with a gold weapon.

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## Democratic Candidates.

The following are the Democratic candidates to be voted for at the November election:

NOAH LOY, Representative.  
GORDON MONTGOMERY, County Attorney.  
EVAN AKIN, Sheriff.  
CHAS. F. PANTON, Circuit Court Clerk.

The independent candidate for County Judge is C. G. JEFFRIES.

## CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 1.

23 St. Charles Place,  
Louisville, Ky., Oct. 10, '21.

The Louisville Evening Post last Thursday said that the object of the proposed amendment in regard to Superintendent of Public Instruction is to help the country schools.

Now, the country schools may need help. Some of them do. Instead of giving it to them, our good friends in Louisville and elsewhere are giving their time, energy and money to a great campaign to reform the office of State Superintendent, which does not stand in need of reforming at all.

What is the plan? It is proposed to appoint a State Board of Education composed of nine members, who shall appoint a State Superintendent. Then this Board and this Superintendent will do some wonderful things for the rural schools.

The Governor has announced the Board as follows: Lewis Humphrey, Louisville, Ky.; R. C. Ballard Thruston, Louisville, Ky.; Mrs. Samuel Wilson, Lexington, Ky.; M. O. Hughes, Bowling Green, Ky.; Miss Sue Bennett, Richmond, Ky.; Charles H. Ellis, Sturgis, Ky.; Henry Berry, Owensboro, Ky.; Len Putman, Ashland, Ky.; Lake Dudley, Flemingsburg, Ky.

These are to remodel and build up the rural schools. Where are the rural schools? In Louisville, Bowling Green and Richmond? Five members of the Board, a majority, come from these four cities. Mr. Thruston and Mr. Humphrey are able and estimable gentlemen, but I doubt if either of them ever saw a rural school in operation.

"But it will take the office of State Superintendent out of politics," they say. It won't do anything of the kind. Just what will happen if Amendment No. 1 is adopted? A Republican Governor will appoint a Board of five Democrats and four Republicans. This Board, with a Democratic majority, will then appoint a Republican Superintendent—Mr. Colvin—and that will be all right. What

will happen after that? If we should have a Democratic Governor, he would possibly appoint a majority of Republicans. Then this Board, with a Republican majority, might appoint a Democratic Superintendent of Public Instruction—and they will call this "taking the office out of politics!" Great stuff! I wonder who originated that phrase "taking the office out of politics?" He ought to have a medal.

And what does it all have to do with helping the rural schools? Not a thing in the world.

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## PASSING THE BUCK.

President Harding says that the unemployment problem is primarily one for the State and local governments, and the Indianapolis News counters by asking if it is a government problem at all.

It is not a government problem; it is an economic problem. Nothing tangible will come out of the Washington conference; nothing tangible would come out of a conference held at Frankfort or Louisville.

One of the oldest delusions of society is that there is some magic power in "government" to cure economic ills, and, during century after century, efforts to accomplish this have been made. Sometimes we see laws proposed to fix prices of commodities, quite regardless of the law of supply and demand. And then again we have proposals to regulate wages by law, minimum wage boards, and the like. And in every period of unemployment a loud cry goes up for the government to take hold.

As a matter of fact, there is greater excuse for government officials exerting themselves to cure unemployment than to pass laws fixing prices and wages. A period of unemployment is, of all things, the most painful to society. There can be nothing more pathetic than the man who is willing to work and cannot find work. But this may not be cured by government. On the other hand, it has been proven again and again that the more sedulously government refrains from interfering, the more rapidly does unemployment pass.

President Harding seems disposed in this matter to pass the buck to the State and local governments; he would do better to frankly acknowledge that this is a matter in which government can do nothing—Louisville Post.

There is no doubt when the next Legislature convenes the House will be Democratic, and there is a good chance for the Democrats to have a majority in the Senate.

Taylor county notifies Adair that she will give a good Democratic majority in November. In that event Mr. Loy stands a good showing to be the next representative.

The candidates for county offices have not exerted themselves up to this writing, but during the next three weeks they will be busy. The canvass is moving along smoothly.

There are a few soldiers at Camp Knox that need regulating, and need it badly. Several have recently been arrested for stealing automobiles. Men who have

a disposition to steal should not enter the army of his country. Nothing can be more disgraceful than a dishonorable discharge.

Our Congressman, Hon. Ralph Gilbert, is a busy man at Washington. The Eighth Kentucky district is certainly represented by a man of ability, one who is diligent and at all times on to his job. The district has long

since known that it made no mistake in electing Mr. Gilbert.

Senator Philander Knox, of Pennsylvania, and who was Secretary of State under President Taft, died suddenly at 6:30 p. m., in Washington last Wednesday. He had just descended his stairway, to enter his dining room, when stricken. His death is a great loss to the Republican party,

as he was a counsellor. His last important address in the Senate was in support of his position that Congress had the right and power to end the status of war by resolution. As Attorney General he established a record for prosecuting trusts and combines.

The world's series will be played in New York between the

"Giants" and the "Yankees," both the clubs of that city having won the pennant in their respective leagues.

Near Ft. Worth, Texas, parties have been organized to search for a negro bandit, who kicked and robbed eight men and women.

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## PERSONAL

Mr. S. R. Elliot and Mr. James Cheatham, Amandaville, were here a few days ago.

Dr. H. W. Depp was in Jamestown professionally last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. Oma Goode, Campbellville, was over, to see our hardware men last Wednesday.

Mr. E. W. Reed and wife are in Louisville this week, Mr. Reed representing Columbia Lodge, No. 96. J. E. Murrell is representing the Chapter at this place.

Mr. Albin Murray, left for the Louisville market last Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Garratt, of Waterview, Cumberland county, are visiting at the home of their son, Mr. A. L. Garrett.

Mr. Edward Hamlett has returned from a visit to Mr. Ralph Kinnaird in Edmonton.

Mrs. H. B. Simpson, Breeding, visited Mrs. John Lee Walker last Thursday.

Mr. J. H. Sanders, Campbellville, was in Columbia a few days ago.

Mr. Jo Young, father of Mr. L. M. Young, visited in Columbia a few of last week. He resides at Waterview, Cumberland county.

Mr. Cicero Hord will represent Tampico Lodge, Cane Valley, in the Grand Lodge this week.

Mr. Warren Salles made a business trip to Louisville last week.

Mr. D. T. Curd, known to all our people as a popular wholesale sales man, handling dry goods, was in Columbia and out in the county the latter part of last week.

Mr. V. Sullivan, who makes his headquarters at Paris, Ky., spent the latter part of last week with his wife and daughter here.

Mr. R. O. Mitchell, of Fairfield, Ill., son-in-law of Dr. and Mrs. Z. G. Taylor, who was visiting here, was taken violently ill last Thursday night, but was better Friday morning.

Mr. J. A. Willis has been quite sick for the past week.

Mrs. S. H. Mitchell has been quite sick for the past week.

Miss Essie Phelps arrived home last week from where she has been visiting friends, and also taking a position later in Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Conover have been visiting Mrs. Conover's parents, Mr. E. E. Cole, and family this week.

Mr. C. C. Pickett was in Louisville a few days of last week.

Mr. L. A. Akin is in Louisville this week, representing Breeding Lodge F. and A. M., in the Grand Lodge.

Rev. L. J. B. Smith left Monday morning for Fairfield, Ky., where he will conduct a series of meetings.

Hon. W. F. Neat, who some years ago was one of the best known men in Adair county, was in town last Wednesday. He has made five or six races in the county, won all but one. He also served four years in the revenue service.

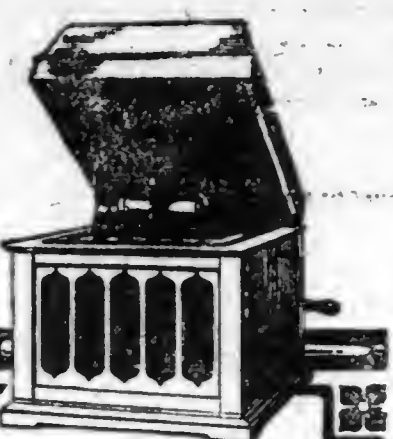
Mr. Alvis Montgomery and wife, of Broadus, Montana, who spent weeks in Adair county, left for their home last Thursday morning. Mr. Montgomery is a son of Mr. June Montgomery. They came from Montana in an auto and are returning the same way.

Mr. E. M. Shelley, of The Fifth-third National Bank, Cincinnati, a native of Clinton county, and a very superior business man, was here last Wednesday. He is traveling over this section of the State, making notes of its resources and soliciting business for his bank which is doing an immense business for large depositors and the country banks. Mr. Shelley's home is Danville.

The sale of B. O. Hurt, last Saturday was well attended, and everything sold at good prices. Mr. J. S. Breeding, who called the sale, said it was the best lot of property he had called for several years.

J. F. Pendleton, a well-known stock dealer of Greensburg, was here last Friday, receiving cattle, one hundred head. They were bought from different farmers in the county at from 25 to 50 cents.

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Bliss.—E. M. Staples, Jack Stotts, Judges; Clerk, L. E. Willis, Sheriff, Johnson Price.

South Columbia.—Geo. McManan, C. R. Hutchison, Judges; Clerk, John Lee Walker; Sheriff, L. H. Jones.

East Columbia.—J. Z. Pickett, Ernest Flowers, Judges; Clerk, J. R. Wilson; Sheriff, N. B. Kelsey.

Hurt.—J. L. Hurt, Walter Elrod, Judges; Clerk, Miss Bettie Cundiff; Sheriff, Wm Ballou.

North Columbia.—R. L. Smythe, Golan Butler, Judges; Clerk, Fred McLean; Sheriff, Herschel Cundiff.

Miltown.—J. B. Leftwich, G. H. Willis, Judges; Clerk, Joe E. Johnston; Sheriff, Alma Powers.

Tarter.—J. H. Burress, Geo. Cheatham, Judges; Clerk, Gib Downey; Sheriff, L. B. Cain.

Kettner.—Archie Sullivan, J. M. Moss, Judges; Clerk, Bob Blades; Sheriff, C. P. Coomer.

Gradyville.—Hayden Kettner, Austin Gilpin, Judges; Clerk, E. E. Nell; Sheriff, W. L. Fletcher.

Nell.—A. J. Barnes, Luther Bell, Judges; Clerk, Roy Walker, Sheriff, Otis Rowe.

Sparksville.—Everett Campbell, R. L. Rowe, Judges; Clerk, F. B. Furkin; Sheriff, R. E. Strange.

Breeding.—Hadus Harvey, Jim Simpson, Judges; Clerk, Lenis Reece; Sheriff, Sanford Hurt.

Melson Ridge.—A. W. Turner, Chester Petty, Judges; Clerk, J. G. Hadley; Sheriff, Clarence Strange.

Harmony.—June Spoon, John R. Murrell, Judges; Clerk, W. L. Bennett, Sheriff, Ira Rowe.

Glensfork.—F. G. Willis, L. W. Taylor, Judges; Clerk, Elbert Webb; Sheriff, H. K. Taylor.

Montpelier.—Herschel Coffey, G. E. Powell, Judges; Clerk, R. A. Stone; Sheriff, K. W. Bell.

White Oak.—Jo Bryant, Granville Cravens, Judges; Clerk, H. J. Conover; Sheriff, Harrison Stanton.

Ozark.—Jake Gabbert, J. M. Blair, Judges; Clerk, A. J. Combest; Sheriff, Garfield Rooks.

Eunice.—J. H. Grant, Jo Henson, Judges; Clerk, Elmer Ruberts; Sheriff, Henderson Wheat.

Little Cane.—Ben Evans, Eli Grant, Judges; Clerk, Jo A. Thomas; Sheriff, J. J. Watson.

Pellyton.—Robt Cooper, D. O. Pelly, Judges; Clerk, Wallace Goode; Sheriff, S. S. Workman.

Knifley.—Tom Whitley, J. P. McGaha, Judges; Clerk, Kent Jones; Sheriff, J. J. Humphress.

Hovious.—Ben Hovious, Art Morris, Judges; Clerk, J. T. Humphress; Sheriff, Wm. Halcumb.

Roley.—Vitus Clements, E. B. Mor-

gan, Judges; Clerk, Roy Walker, Sheriff, A. C. Wolford.

Egypt.—John Foster, W. A. Humphress, Judges; Clerk, G. D. Bryant, Sheriff, Emmitt Murrell.

East Cane Valley.—Eugene Rice, Melvin Cave, Judges; Clerk, Stanley Smith; Sheriff, Blain Russell.

West Cane Valley.—John Smith, Olie Bault, Judges; Clerk, J. M. Woodrum; Sheriff, Jas. Squires.

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## Died in Macomb, Ill.

Relatives here were notified last Wednesday that Mr. C. S. Mourning, familiarly called Sam, died Tuesday night before at his home, Macomb, Ill. He was about 65 years old and had been an invalid for several years, having received a fall from which he never recovered. He was born and reared near Columbia, a son of Judge and Mrs. Jack Mourning. He left Adair county many years ago, but he had returned once or twice on a visit. He was a man of sterling character, one who had many friends in the West. He leaves a wife, who is a sister of Mrs. N. M. Tutt, this place, and several children, all grown. We trust that the God of love will comfort those who have been so sorely bereft.

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## Basket Ball.

Concord and the Graded school met in the latter's Gym, last Friday night and played before a large audience. The game was close and very interesting. When time was called Concord had 12 scores and Graded School 11.

## NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a poll will be opened and an election held in Montpelier Precinct No. 17, on the regular election day, November, 1921, to ascertain the will of the voters on the question as to whether or not they wish Cattle or any Specie there, to run at large on the public Highways and uninclosed lands of said Precinct. Witness my hand this September 28th, 1921.

Attest. S. C. Neat, Clerk, A. C. C.

We live, we move and have our being for a time, but suddenly the Grim Reaper makes his appearance and we are cut down without warning. Should we not heed the warning, "In life prepare for death" for the day nor the hour is not known when the Father above will call.

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### THE SCHOOL AMENDMENTS.

Editor Louisville Evening Post:

Since you have manifested a willingness to allow some discussion of the constitutional amendments in your columns, and being an old subscriber and intensely interested in the success of one, and the defeat of the other, I would like to ask a few questions.

We subscribers have gathered many ideas from reading the Evening Post, and now it seems that you have reversed yourself upon some things you convinced us of years ago.

In the first place, is there a single concrete proposition offered to the people of Kentucky in lieu of surrendering our constitutional right to elect the State superintendent? Have we even as much as a platform promised? If we have I have never read it and if you know of any please print the program.

Are you willing, as a great daily paper, to urge your subscribers to commit themselves to a doctrine like this? "We don't know where we are going, but we are on our road?" Now, truly, is not that a lot of stock to take in the uncertainties of politics to surrender your rights to someone you know not whom, to administer the schools of Kentucky in a way you know not how? Surely this is a departure not only from the principles of democracy, but from the well-known principles of the Evening Post. Do you believe the Governor's assertion that it will take the schools out of politics? Why many of us people down here in Meade county feel sorry for people who don't think the schools are in politics now, we are going to vote on the subject this fall.

Don't you believe the governor has already thrown the schools into the mire of the spoils system by announcing whom he will appoint should the Legislature empower him to do so? Has he not gotten very generous all at once, and what for, unless it is for the purpose to gain votes for the amendments? Suppose you say, as you no doubt will, that this is open and legitimate barter. Then I ask, Will not the next Governor use his appointments for his political advancement? One more question: Is there any real representative of the common schools on the board named by the Governor, or are they all High schools on the board named by the Governor, or are they all High school and college representatives who don't have much respect for the common schools? And should not the common schools have as many as five on the board of nine?

The Evening Post seems to be in favor of government by boards, and here is where we farmers are surprised. When Christ appointed the twelve you remember Judas turned up and though he was in a very small minority succeeded in betraying the Savior. Was not the joint high commission made to see that Tilden didn't get to be President? Yes, boards are the rottenest things in the world. But you say in an editorial of September 26, "The people will control the schools, must control the schools and they will control them the more effectively because they hold the small group that appoints the State Superintendent responsible for the work of that officer." Now if you really believe this is true I just want to ask one question. Why don't you people of Louis-

ville control your Board of Public Safety and quit making, public confession that Louisville has one of three of the most rotten police systems in the United States. Respectfully,

E. B. ASHCRAFT.

### A Famous Toast of the Day—On Water.

Commerce and Finance credit the following:

"A toast to Water, by Colonel Boy Maxey, at the Annual Meeting of the Bar Association of North Arkansas. It seemed a merry jest to ask the Colonel to respond to the toast "Water," but he was equal to the occasion saying:

"Mr. Toastmaster, Ladies and Gentlemen: You have asked me to respond to the toast "Water"—the purest and best of all things that God created. I want to say to you that I have seen it glisten in tiny tear drops on the sleeping lids of infants, I have seen it trickle down the blushing cheeks of youth, and go in running torrents down the wrinkled cheek of age. I have seen it in tiny dewdrops like polished diamonds when the morning sun burst in resplendent glory o'er the eastern hills. I have seen it in the rushing stream rippling over pebbled bottoms; in the river rushing over precipitous falls in its mad rush to join the mighty father of waters, and I have seen it in the mighty ocean on whose broad bosom float the battle fleets of all nations and the commerce of the world—but, Ladies and Gentlemen, I want to say to you now that as a beverage it's a damn failure."

The army of the United States is smaller than any of the Big Powers.

## THOROUGHBRED INTERESTS ATTACKED

### Helm Bruce, Former Attorney for St. Louis Bucket Shop Syndicate Seeks to Destroy Racing.

#### REPEAL OF THE PRESENT LAW MEANS THE RETURN OF THE BANISHED BOOK MAKERS TO KENTUCKY

#### The Kentucky Jockey Club Pays Over \$300,000 Yearly in Taxes Into the State Treasury.

(The Thoroughbred Record.)

Kentucky is the home of the thoroughbred. It is the nursery of the finest breed of horses the world has produced. An infusion of thoroughbred blood enriches every other strain and gives quality, speed and courage to the colder breeds. Hundreds of thousands of acres are devoted to the raising of thoroughbreds in this State, and millions of dollars are invested in the industry.

At the coming session of the Legislature an organized effort will be made to destroy the thoroughbred interest, lay waste the fertile pastures, now valued at from \$500 to \$1,000 an acre, upon which they graze and reduce the peerless Man O'War, for whom \$500,000 has been refused, to the worth of a plow horse.

Under the old book-making system which Mr. Bruce sought to perpetuate for his clients, the State did not receive a cent. Under the present law the Kentucky Jockey Club pays yearly into the State Treasury over \$300,000. If Mr. Bruce succeeds in destroying the thoroughbred interest this immense sum will be entirely lost to the State and the book-makers will return to prey on the public.

The leader of this destructive crusade, falsely put forth as a moral issue, is Helm Bruce, a Louisville lawyer, who, under a personal grievance, and in grateful remembrance of his former race track clients, Cella, Tilles and Adler, the St. Louis bucket shop gamblers, seeks to prohibit all racing in Kentucky. When the Racing Commission was created by an act of the Legislature and the turf in this State was taken out of the hands of the book-makers who had dishonored a royal sport, Helm Bruce, took a fee from this syndicate of bucket shop owners and sought to have the law declared unconstitutional. He was defeated in his selfish purpose and now that the scandal breeding book-maker has been driven out, and the turf is prospering under the pari-mutuel system, with the leading horsemen of Kentucky, selected by the Governor, giving their time to the enforcement of the law, Mr. Bruce seeks to destroy the entire turf structure and carry with it the whole thoroughbred interests of Kentucky.

Desha Brockenridge, editor of the Lexington Herald, has defended racing, as now conducted under the State Commission, and in a series of frank and forceful editorials he has exposed the inconsistency of Helm Bruce, once an attorney for the book-makers, and now advocating the destruction of the pari-mutuels which would open the way for the return of Mr. Bruce's former clients to Kentucky.

Mr. Bruce pleads ignorance of the character of his clients or their selfish interest in the following statement to the Thoroughbred Record:

"I must say that statements are made as to my knowing certain persons who are connected with racing, formerly existing, such as that race tracks were controlled by bookmakers, and that bookmakers retained twenty to thirty per cent, and that all sorts of rascalities were committed under this system. The fact is I know none of these things."

It is said that I know that Cella, Tilles, and Adler, of St. Louis, owned Latonia and Douglas Park, and it is said they ran bucket shops and race tracks in various sections of the country. I recall that Cella had an interest in the Douglas Park Jockey Club, whether or not the other persons mentioned have any interest in it or not, I do not know; and whether or not they ran bucket shops in other parts of the country, I do not know. It is said that I know these things because I was an attorney in a suit instituted against the State Racing Commission seeking to have the act creating that Commission declared unconstitutional. It is entirely true that I was an attorney for the Douglas Park Jockey Club in a suit brought to test the constitutionality of that act, but it is not at all true that I learned in that case, or otherwise, any of the facts stated in the editorial as to gambling conditions on the race tracks."

Mr. Brockenridge makes the following reply:

"Mr. Bruce knew that Cella, Tilles and Adler, who ran bucketshops and race tracks in various sections of the country, controlled Latonia and Douglas Park; that there was a syndicate book on all the tracks controlled by them; that racing in Kentucky was in a deplorable condition; that the meetings were long, and under the syndicate system of bookmaking every sort of rascality was committed."

Mr. Bruce states: "I knew none of these things."

"We avow that all statements made by us are true; that all intelligent men connected with racing or interested in racing know them to be true; that the facts were published in the daily newspapers, and that in the discussion in regard to the enactment of the bill creating the State Racing Commission were alleged and not denied. But we accept at its face value Mr. Bruce's statement: 'I know none of these things.'"

"Mr. Bruce does recall that Cella had an interest in the Douglas Park Jockey Club. It is interesting to know that this much of what was general knowledge percolated through the atmosphere of sweet innocence that surrounded Mr. Bruce. If he had then had the slightest interest in the preservation of racing, either as a sport or as an aid to the breeding of horses or as a destructive agency of all that is good and noble, it seems to our mundane intelligence he would have informed himself as to the controlling factors in racing and certainly as to the personnel of his clients."

It has been a long time since the State Racing Commission was created and the effort made by the owners of Douglas Park and Latonia—Cella, Tilles and Adler—to have that act declared unconstitutional. Mr. Bruce makes a very plausible statement of the basis of that suit, but a statement that in our opinion is entirely misleading.

The act creating the State Racing Commission was drawn as a result of a meeting held in our office in the old Herald building, and as we recall attended by T. M. McDowell, Catesby Woodford, J. N. Camden, Charles McMeekin, J. S. Shouse, then editor of the Kentucky Farmer and Breeder, and Hal F. Bradley. No man connected with Churchill Downs was invited to the meeting nor advised of its purpose. John T. Shelby and John R. Allen were engaged to draw the act which was supported by all the breeders of the State, and passed by a practically unanimous vote of both houses of the Legislature.

The purpose of the act was to prevent a continuation of such conditions as were incident to the ownership of race tracks by Mr. Bruce's clients. It provided:

"The said commission shall have the power to prescribe the rules, regulations and conditions under which running races shall be conducted in this State."

Cella, Tilles and Adler had control of the Latonia track and of Douglas Park. Regardless of the interests of racing, they had purchased Douglas Park and revealed their purpose to have conflicting gates with Churchill Downs and to conduct long meetings, as they did in Missouri. Mr. Bruce apparently attempts to put the basis of the suit in which he tried to have the State Racing Commission declared unconstitutional on the ground that the State Racing Commission was created to kill Douglas Park.

We avow that it was the desire of all the men connected with the movement to have a State Racing Commission to remedy such conditions as existed at every track under the control of Mr. Bruce's clients. We were then—as we are now—opposed to a bucket-shop bookmaking combination controlling race tracks in Kentucky; we were opposed then, as we are now, to a syndicate book robbing the public and framing up races.

It is provided in the act that Mr. Bruce's clients tried to have declared unconstitutional:

"Provided, That a refusal of the commission to grant any racing association a license or to assign any racing association at least forty days, if desired, shall be subject to the review of the courts of the State."

But Cella, Tilles and Adler were not satisfied with this provision. They wanted the whole act declared unconstitutional, for that act—though it may not be known to Mr. Bruce, who knows so little, as revealed in his communication today—provides:

"Said commission shall have the power to prescribe the rules, regulations and conditions under which running races shall be conducted in this State."

Under that provision the State Racing Commission has the power to prohibit bookmaking on its tracks and it has exercised and enforced that

power, which was never done before its creation.

Mr. Bruce may not know it, but we believe it to be a fact that the chief reason his known client, Cella and his actual clients, Cella's associates, wanted the act declared unconstitutional was that it made possible the destruction of their syndicate book.

We do not say that Mr. Bruce knows it, because after his statement we fear to state that he knows even the most widely known fact, but according to the grand jury of Jefferson County it is a fact "that a vast number of handbooks are being operated in the city of Louisville."

We have not heard of any movement by Mr. Bruce to stop these handbooks. If Mr. Bruce had succeeded in the suit to declare unconstitutional the act creating the State Racing Commission there would be books on the race tracks as well as handbooks in the city. The law now prohibits handbooks in the city. But they exist in the city of Louisville. Yet Mr. Bruce starts a campaign against "legalized betting" and so far as we know takes no action against the illegal betting that is, in our opinion, infinitely the greater evil, which is rampant in his own home town.

In the communication published this morning, Mr. Bruce says:

"I have never pretended to make any accurate statement of what are the total profits of the Jockey Club, because I do not know them."

In a statement by him sent through the Associated Press from Louisville, September 17, he says:

"A legalized giant monopoly enjoying the gambling privileges realizes a profit of two or three million of dollars a year out of this demoralizing vice."

Again we apologize for having stated in a previous editorial that Mr. Bruce knows this statement is inaccurate. But we avow that it is inaccurate and utterly misleading and known to be inaccurate by every man and woman who has even cursory information in regard to the purses and stakes given by the Jockey Club, the expenses incident to the conduct of racing and the taxes paid by the Jockey Club.

Mr. Bruce closes his communication with this statement:

"Pari-mutuel betting on the race tracks may be a safer form of betting than bookmaking—safer for the gambler—but I am not interested in protecting the gambler."

Who is it Mr. Bruce is interested in protecting? As a lawyer he was interested in forwarding the interests of Cella, Tilles and Adler, who, though of course he never knew it, conducted bucket-shops and syndicate books. The present movement fostered by him will insure to the benefit of the bookmaker and handbook men, though equally of course he does not know this. As proven by the result in New York, the success of the movement he advocates will lead to a form of gambling that is most pernicious and as a rule crooked.

As revealed by the report of the grand jury in Louisville, the handbooks flourish even in the rarified atmosphere that surrounds Mr. Bruce.

Not interested in protecting the gambler? Of course not. Not interested in the personnel of his clients who employed his services to destroy the State Racing Commission so that they might run race tracks in Kentucky as they ran them in Missouri—solely for the benefit of the syndicate book? Not interested in protecting the breeding interests? What is Mr. Bruce's real interest?

His letter reveals, according to his own statements, that Mr. Bruce has never been interested enough to ascertain even the most widely known facts in regard to racing and that he knows no more about it now than he knew when he was the attorney for Douglas Park and the bucket-shop bookmaking aggregation that owned it.

Why is Mr. Bruce giving his time and his high ability and great reputation and his money to this fight to have repealed the provision in the Kentucky statutes that was passed April 23, 1893, years before he appeared as the attorney for the Douglas Park Jockey Club? He did not then attempt to have that section of the statutes repealed. The act creating the State Racing Commission was passed in 1906. The provision under which pari-mutuels are permitted was passed in 1893, thirteen years before that. During those years the bookmakers operated as unmolested on the race tracks as they now operate in Louisville and will again operate on the race tracks if Mr. Bruce succeeds in his present efforts.

Every man familiar with racing knows that racing has been cleaner and on a higher plane; that the stakes and purses are four or five hundred per cent greater since the bookmakers were driven from the tracks. But Mr. Bruce is not interested in protecting the gamblers nor the horsemen nor the breeders nor the financial interests of the State, nor in driving out the handbooks in Louisville.

About the laziest person we ever heard of is the fellow who died from indigestion rather than go the trouble of chewing the food he ate.

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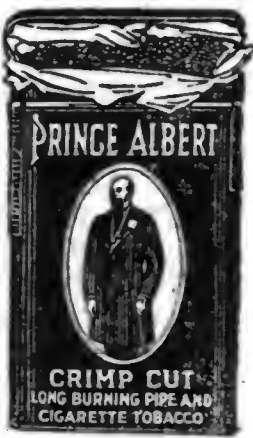
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### Glenfork.

The health of this community is very good at present.

There is a revival in progress at this place conducted by Revs. Burton and Taylor of the Nazarine church.

Mrs. Annie B. Brockman and Mrs. Anthony Taylor were shopping in Columbia last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison Johnson were visiting the latter's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Taylor, of the place last Saturday night and Sunday.

Dr. B. J. Bolin and family who have been in Boyle county, for several months, have returned to their home at this place. Everybody was glad to have him and his estimable family back with us. He is a fine doctor and a good man one who was greatly missed while away. So we gladly welcome them back and hope they will remain with us.

Mr. George Collins is erecting a nice residence on farm near this place. Mr. Frank Strange and H. K. Taylor are putting his veranda floor down this week of cement.

Mrs. L. J. Wilkinson is spending a few weeks with relatives near Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Thomas and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Marshal and little daughter, were visiting on Cumberland River last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Charley Thomas purchased from Mr. Virgil Wesley his half interest in the sawmill at this place. Charley owns it all now.

### Gradyville.

We had plenty of rain and some frost the first of last week.

Big Creek got past fording one day last week.

W. L. Fletcher has the chromo for making the best sorghum in this section.

Ernest Yates, of Columbia, spent a day or so here last week, with his uncle, Charlie Yates and daughter.

Our farmers are sowing wheat and preparing their ground for same. We take it that there will be a larger crop sown than usual in this section this season.

Mrs. W. P. Flowers spent a day or so at Edmonton the latter part of last week.

Misses Maude Wilmore and Ruth Hill, two students of the L. W. T. S., of Columbia, spent last Saturday and Sunday at their homes in our city.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hill, of Adairville, spent a few days here last week with their relatives. Mr. Hill reports his business good at Adairville.

L. B. Cain bought a nice bunch of cattle one day last week, in the Sparksville community, at prices from 3½ to 5 cents per lb.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Slidell, of Owenton, Ky., spent several days with Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Nell, of our place, last week.

Miss Christine Nell is spending this week in Columbia.

Strong Hill and James W. Sneed exchanged farms, Mr. Hill paying a difference of three hundred dollars. This deal locates Mr. Hill with a good farm and beautiful site for building a nice residence which he expects to do in the near future.

Paul Bridgewaters, of Greensburg, came into our town last Thursday, afternoon, with thirty head of cattle, that he had bought in Cumberland county at prices from 4 to 6 cents per lb. This was certainly a nice bunch of cattle.

Our mutual friends of Campbellsville, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lyon, called in to see us, while en route to attend the Russell Creek Association last Wednesday. We were certainly glad to see them as they are some of our old neighbors. Mr. Lyon reports his business good.

Rev. and Mrs. James W. Rayburn returned to their home, and work one day last week, from Conference. Our people, one and all, were delighted to have them with us another year, and the members of his Church, as well as others, greeted them with a bountiful supply of the necessities of life, demonstrating to them that they could not have been better pleased with a preacher, one that labored so faithfully with us all. We are glad, one and all, to have them with us.

The Russell Creek Association, which convened at Big Creek church last Wednesday and Thursday, was largely attended. Fine preaching and one of the best meetings that the Association has had for several years. As we get it from several that attended, dinner was served on the ground and plenty of it. But that is characteristic of that community to have plenty of good things to eat.

Mr. B. B. Dulin, of Edmonton, spent a few days with his friends here last week.

We are sorry to state that we have had in our community for the past week or so a case or two of diptheria, and that it plucked from the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Nell, the idol of their home, their darling babe, Hallie Q., about two years of age. She was an uncommonly, bright child. Only sick for a few days everything that could be done by her devoted parents and loving friends and skilled physician was done. Up to this time there is only one more case developed. We hope the worst is over.

Louisville, Ky.

Oct. 11, 1921.

Editor News:—

If you will allow me space in your paper, will attempt to write a few lines in regard to the kind of school I am in. I have understood that some of the people have the impression that I am in a military school, which is a mistake. I am in school at the University of Louisville, in the law department, from 4 o'clock, p. m., until 6 o'clock, p. m., that is, I receive two hours of instructions each day. I prepare my work before going, at home, and am free to go anywhere at any time.

My course lasts three years, and I have the privilege of transferring at any time to any place I prefer. I could train on the job under some skilled lawyer, or I could change to some other course if I should decide I wanted to change. I put in the most of my time on my work as it is necessary that I do so, and I have nothing else to do. I like the work fine and will finish the course if I keep my health.

I cannot say where I will locate, as three years will bring around many changes, and I do not know whether I will take up the practice of law or not, but it is very essential that everybody should know some law.

The weather has been very cool down here for the past few days and a fire is very comfortable all day.

I judge from reading the papers that politics are getting very warm back there, but I imagine they will cool down to some extent after Nov. 8th.

I was sure sorry to read about the fire, which I read in the paper here, in about five hours after it happened. There is no reason why Columbia, should not have a fire engine, waterworks, gas and etc. The gas could be easily piped from Campbellsville. Campbellsville has enough gas to supply four or five such towns. The gas we use here comes from Eastern Kentucky, and West Virginia. My gas bill last month was 65 cents for two cook stoves and lights for six rooms, so you see it is very cheap fuel.

I am, Yours truly,

John Rose.

Harvey T. Lisle, a lawyer of Winchester, has been appointed receiver for the McCombs Oil Co.

President Harding has asked the Mayors of the cities to hold in finding employment for the idle.

The Republican Administration at Frankfort will not reduce farm land twenty-five per cent, as demanded by the Farm Bureau on the grounds that it is not justified.



## Oil News.

By T. Earle Williams.

White, Spellacy & Moore, have let a contract to Dale & Garvin to drill four wells on the John Radford farm, on Brush creek. This farm joins the J. M. Radford farm of same creek on which there are now three producing wells.

Major, James A. Gartlan, has contracted with Butler & Anderson, to start drilling at once on the No. 2, on the C. E. Keen farm on Brush Creek. This is offset to the No. 1, on the Hicks farm.

The No. 1, on the Hicks farm, on Brush Creek, owned by Stone & Leathers was drilled in a week ago at 215 feet is pumping 125 barrels per day.

The Johns & Patterson, well No. 1, on the Lela Keen farm on Bear Creek which came in recently at 335 feet is pumping 45 barrels per day. On October 4th while drawing the tools from this well it flowed over the mast and caught fire and burned the rig and W. Norris, tool dresser, was burned about the face but not seriously.

The Daniel Boone Oil Co. have contracted with Grant & Rowe, to commence drilling at once on their No. 1, on the John Crawford farm on Kettle creek. This is the first of a series of several tests to be drilled by same Co., in that territory.

A. S. McClintock, of Cleveland, Ohio has purchased 8000 acres of leases from J. B. Pierce. This includes the big well drilled in last May on the G. W. Coop Jr., farm on Sulphur creek. Mr. McClintock, expects to commence developing same at once. His appearance in this field will mean a great deal to the future development of this county.

The well drilled on the G. W. Coop Sr., farm on Sulphur creek by S. S. Wilson, is full of oil. Mr. Wilson is now in New York but will return soon and resume operations on this tract.

The rig on the J. A. Neeley farm, on Raft Creek, has, owing to a helpless fishing job, been skidded and a new hole started. This work is being done for C. A. Gartlan, of Lexington, Ky.

The Winter Oil & Gas Co's No. 2, on the C. W. Strange farm, on big Renox creek, has oil and gas showings at 255 feet and will be drilled deeper.

The same people expect to drill their No. 1 this week and are drilling at around 750 feet. The latter is located upon the hill and will be deeper pay than the No. 2.

Drilling on the No. 1 on the John Alexander farm near Bickerton, by Wick & McKee, is temporarily suspended at 140 feet, awaiting a new stem.

T. A. Sheridan, is drilling at 400 feet on his tract on his No. 1 on the G. C. Smith farm on upper big Renox creek. This well is expected in this week.

The Cumberland County Refinery, is now in operation with an initial capacity of .60 bbls of crude oil per day and is finding a ready sale for their products. They have a larger still now on the grounds not yet in operation and Mr. Robert Wise, will leave here Tuesday to purchase more machinery and supplies for it.

Mr. H. H. Hook Jr., will return here at an early date from

Pittsburgh, Pa., and will be actively interested in the refinery and other development work here.

Several oil men whose names are to numerous to mention have been here the past week and a number of them have purchased leases or let drilling contracts while here.

Operators here are jubilant over the recent advance in the price of crude oil. Somerset light being now \$1.90 per bbl., and are making preparations to operate to utmost capacity through the winter months if weather permits.

Big Gasser, at Renox Creek, Cumberland Co.

T. A. Sheridan, drilling on the G. C. Smith farm, on Big Renox Creek, at Becks Store, struck gas at the depth of 514 feet, the pressure being so great that it blew the tools, (weighing over 2,000 lbs.) up to the top of the derrick. A gusher is expected in this location soon.

Crude Oil takes another advance, Oct. 14th. Somerset Light, the grade produced in this field, was advanced 25c per barrel by the Pittsburgh Purchasers, making the market price of Somerset Light \$2.15 per bbl.

White, Spellacy & Moore, are down 100 feet and drilling on their No. 8, on the John Radford farm, on Brush creek.

Wick & McKee, are arranging to commence drilling on the Frank Radford farm, on Brush creek at an early date.

Loman & Clay, of Cleveland, Ohio, have purchased the Garrett Bros. lease on Big Renox Creek and are moving a rig on it and will start drilling at once, this makes a total of four rigs on this creek at work.

Messrs. J. B. Pierce and J. V. Brooks, of Louisville, Ky., arrived here today.

D. M. Shearer and C. E. Daugherty, of Monticello, Ky., were here this week looking the territory over with a view to commencing operations.

E. J. Schabelitz, the hustling proprietor of the refinery here is in Louisville this week on business.

On the 12th, inst., drillers for T. A. Sheridan on the No. 1, on the G. C. Smith farm, on Big Renox creek struck a heavy flow of gas at 507 ft. which blew the tools from the hole necessitated the suspending of drilling for a day, oil men are the results this work with interest and it is expected that Mr. Sheridan, will get a good well on this test.

There is not an empty dwelling house in Burkesville and rooms are getting hard to secure. The writer knows of several oil men and their families who plan to move to Burkesville as soon as apartments can be secured, however public spirited citizens are planning to meet the emergency by building more residences and apartments as rapidly as possible.

## Notice.

The tax books are now completed and I am ready to receive your taxes. Come in at once and settle. The sooner this is done, the better for all concerned.

Cortez Sanders,  
Sheriff Adair County.  
51-6f

A Adair County News, \$1.50 per, year

## Additional Locals.

## Paid List.

The following are new paid subscribers and renewals since our issue of last Tuesday.

R. H. McKinney, Forest Sharp, E. B. Watson, Mrs. Lee Hutton, Jerry Cravens, Henry Ingram, L. W. Sparks, Mrs. Tina Wells, G. M. Rice, T. A. Baker, A. M. Aaron, M. F. Harmon, R. Bruce Kerr, Dr. S. A. Taylor, W. R. Todd, Roy Walker, H. N. Smythe, S. R. Elliott, E. M. Shelley, R. B. Logan, A. Garrett, G. R. Hindman, Mrs. Joe Young, Joe Rosenbaum, Dr. Z. G. Taylor. On the 14th of this month, last Friday, a subscriber paid \$1.50 into this office, and we overlooked giving credit. If his name is not in the above list, he will please notify the office.

## For Sale.

An 6 room house with a two acre lot. This is a desirable piece of property and just outside the town limits. Also 45 acre tract of land 1 1/2 miles of town, in Graded School district. 5 room house, good barn and all under wire fence. Prices right for a quick sale.

L. H. Jones.

Mr. L. C. Hindman is having his residence, on Garnett Avenue, raised another story. The addition will not only be an improvement, but will add value and attractiveness to the property. When completed it will shine with the other two story residences on that avenue.

We have a good proposition to offer several live men in this section. For full particulars, address, Singer Sewing Machine Company, Danville, Ky. 50-4t

## Just Think of It.

Army shoes and goods at startling prices. Underwear at 25c each. Come at once and get what you want. Don't fail to look and get our prices. We have a few new army shoes at good bargains.

T. G. Rasner & Son.

Mr. B. H. Lawless, who has been living at Eastman, Buchanan county, Mo., for sometime, arrived here last Wednesday afternoon with the remains of his wife, who died last Monday. He was en route to Olga, Russell county, Mrs. Lawless old home.

Mr. J. R. Wilson has removed from the Chilson property, on Water Street, to the Breeding residence, he recently purchased, on Campbellville pike, opposite the home of Mr. W. R. Myers. His son, Mr. Owen Wilson, will occupy the residence he vacated.

## NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a poll will be opened and an election held in Sparksville, precinct No. 12, on the regular election day, November 1921, to ascertain the will of the voters on the question as to whether or not they wish Cattle or any specie thereof to run at large on the public highways and uninclosed lands of said precinct. Witness my hand this Sept. 28th, 1921.

Attest. S. C. Neat, Clerk, A. C. C. 50-4t

The copy for the November ballots for Adair county, is now in the office

Marriage licenses were issued from the Adair county clerk's office, a few days ago, to Dewey Denton and Cleo Pike. It is said that the couple were married in the Absher neighborhood.

The price of mule colts has given the farmer a black eye. The same quality of colts sold on the square two years ago from \$80 to \$110. The offerings now run from \$35.00 to \$45.00.

## Notice.

I have just received a large line of soldier clothes, shoes and other goods, that I am selling at a bargain. See me before you buy.

J. B. Watson.  
51-2t

Mr. J. H. Young has prized quite a bit of tobacco in recent weeks.

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The three greatest cigarette tobaccos, blending MILDNESS-MELLOWNESS-AROMA

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SHELBYVILLE, KY.

## Good For The Farmer.

Kentucky crops this year will be much better than forecasted by the early estimation of the Department of Agriculture. This is evident from corrected estimates just issued, showing the condition of various crops of September 1st.

The Kentucky corn crop, for instance is now expected to yield 14,000,000 more bushels than was forecast on August 1. To be exact, the September forecast is for 91,990,000 bushels of corn in Kentucky instead of 77,659,000 bushels, as forecasted in August.

The supply of Kentucky potatoes also exceeds expectations, the September estimate of the crop being 3,571,000 bushels as against an August estimate of 3,465,000 bushels. The Kentucky barley crop is now estimated at 108,000 bushels as against 103,000 bushels shown by the August estimate. The September estimate forecast 214,738,000 pounds of tobacco raised in Kentucky this year, while the August estimate was 251,790,000 pounds. The September report as a whole is of a character to give the Kentucky farmer a hopeful outlook on a life.

## Type Writer Ribbons.

We have type-writer ribbons for sale, the Oliver, Remington and Smith Premier. Call while they last.

A N. Bridgewater, of near Greensburg, received fifty cattle here last Friday for which he paid from 3¢ to 5¢ cents. They were bought from different parties.

A tribute to the memory of Mrs. Izora Winfrey, written by her niece, Mrs. N. B. Miller, Buffalo, New York, will be published next week.

## For Sale or Trade.

A light five passenger touring car, 1921 model. Insured against fire and theft.

A. H. Ballard.  
51-3t

Mrs. G. W. Dillon, of Breeding, underwent a successful operation at Louisville last week. Her husband and two sons, Rich and Frank were with her in the city.

The remains of James York, who was killed in France, and who went to war from the Breeding section, arrived last Saturday and were buried at his old home.

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Glensfork Lodge, F and A M, is being represented at the Grand Lodge by Mr. W. E. Dudley.

Two hundred and forty-three teachers in Kentucky out of 1213 failed to make certificates to teach.

Heavy frosts here several mornings last week, and unprotected vegetation has been damaged.

Seventeen days from the date of this paper until the November election.

Stealing and liquor selling continues with but, little interruption in Louisville.

The News \$1.50 in Kentucky.

Mrs. Catherine Lawrence, of New York, had a pig removed from her body which she swallowed fifty years ago.

According to U. S. census reports the size of families is largest in the South and smallest in the West.

Tobacco growers are being warned that if they do not sign up for the pool now no other effort will be made to help them.

An Idaho woman is on trial for poisoning her husbands. It is claimed that she murdered three by giving them bed bug poison.